

HIGHER ORDER EINSTEIN-SCHRÖDINGER SPACES

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Abstract. In 1945 A.Einstein [6] and E.Schrödinger [10] started form a generalized Riemann space, thas is, a space M associated with a nonsymmetric tensor $G_{ij}(x)$ and desired to find the set of all linear connections $\Gamma_{jk}^i(x)$ compatible with such a metric : $G_{ij/k} = 0$ (see also [1] and [2]). The geometry of this space (M, G_{ij}) is called the Einsten - Schrödinger's geometry [3], [4].

The purpose of this paper is to discuss a nonsymmetric tensor field $G_{ij}(x, y^{(1)}, \dots, y^{(k)})$, where $(x, y^{(1)}, \dots, y^{(k)})$ is a point of the k -osculator bundle $(Osc^k M, \pi, M)$ and to obtain the results for the Einstein - Schrödinger's geometry of the higher order in a natural case.

The fundamental notions and notations concerning the osculator bundle of the higher order are given in the papers [8] [9] and in the recent Miron's book [7] and we suppose them to be known.

For a nonsymmetric tensor field $G_{ij}(x, y^{(1)}, \dots, y^{(k)})$ on $Osc^k M$, we have a symmetric tensor field $g_{ij}(x, y^{(1)}, \dots, y^{(k)})$ and a skew-symmetric one $a_{ij}(x, y^{(1)}, \dots, y^{(k)})$ from the spliting

$$(1) \quad G_{ij} = g_{ij} + a_{ij},$$

where we suppose that

$$(2) \quad \det \| g_{ij}(x, y^{(1)}, \dots, y^{(k)}) \| \cdot \| a_{ij}(x, y^{(1)}, \dots, y^{(k)}) \| \neq 0$$

and $\dim M = n = 2n'$.

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We denote

$$\|g_{ij}(x, y^{(1)}, \dots, y^{(k)})\|^{-1} = \|g^{ij}(x, y^{(1)}, \dots, y^{(k)})\|,$$

$$\|a_{ij}(x, y^{(1)}, \dots, y^{(k)})\|^{-1} = \|a^{ij}(x, y^{(1)}, \dots, y^{(k)})\|$$

We have from $G_{ij|k} = 0$, $G_{ij}^{(\alpha)}|_k = 0$ ($\alpha = 1, \dots, k$)

the following equations :

$$(3) \quad g_{ij|k} = 0, \quad g_{ij}^{(\alpha)}|_k = 0, \quad a_{ij|k} = 0, \quad a_{ij}^{(\alpha)}|_k = 0 \quad (\alpha = 1, \dots, k),$$

which is equivalent to

$$(4) \quad g_{ij}^{ij} = 0, \quad g_{ij}^{ij}|_k = 0, \quad a_{ij}^{ij} = 0, \quad a_{ij}^{ij}|_k = 0 \quad (\alpha = 1, \dots, k).$$

We investigate the set of all N-linear connections $D\Gamma(N) = (L^i_{jk}, C^i_{jk})$
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($\alpha = 1, \dots, k$) for which we have (3) in the form

$$L^i_{jk} = L^{\circ i}_{jk} + A^i_{jk}, \quad C^i_{jk} = C^{\circ i}_{jk} + B^i_{jk} \quad (\alpha = 1, \dots, k),$$

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where $D \overset{\circ}{\Gamma}(N) = (L^{\circ i}_{jk}, C^{\circ i}_{jk})$ ($\alpha = 1, \dots, k$) is a fixed N-linear connection on
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$Osc^k M$ and A^i_{jk} , B^i_{jk} are arbitrary tensor fields of type (1,2).
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We obtain for A and for B the equations

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$$(5) \quad A^r_{ik} g_{rj} + A^r_{jk} g_{ir} = g_{ij|k}^{\circ}, \quad A^r_{ik} a_{rj} + A^r_{jk} a_{ir} = a_{ij|k}^{\circ},$$

$$(6) \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} B_{ik}^r g_{rj} + B_{jk}^r g_{ir} = g_{ij} \Big|_k^{(\alpha)}, \\ (\alpha) \qquad (\alpha) \\ \\ B_{ik}^r a_{rj} + B_{jk}^r a_{ir} = a_{ij} \Big|_k^{(\alpha)} \quad (\alpha = 1, \dots, k) \\ (\alpha) \qquad (\alpha) \end{array} \right.$$

We do not know the general solution of the equation system (5) and (6)

We give a solution for these equations in the following special case.

Definition 1. An asymmetric metric (1) is called natural if we have

$$(7) \quad \Lambda_{is}^{rk} \Phi_{rj}^{hs} = \Phi_{is}^{rk} \Lambda_{rj}^{hs}$$

where

$$(8) \quad \Lambda_{ij}^{kh} = \frac{1}{2}(\delta_i^k \delta_j^h - g_{ij} g^{kh}), \quad \Phi_{ij}^{kh} = \frac{1}{2}(\delta_i^k \delta_j^h - a_{ij} a^{kh}).$$

Theorem 1. An asymmetric metric $G_{ij}(x, y^{(1)}, \dots, y^{(k)})$ on $Osc^k M$ is natural if and only if there exist a function $\mu(x, y^{(1)}, \dots, y^{(k)})$ on $Osc^k M$ such that

$$(9) \quad g_{ir} g_{js} a^{rs} = \mu g_{ij}.$$

Examples.

1. Let $f_j^i(x, y^{(1)}, \dots, y^{(k)})$ be a tensor field of type (1,1) which gives an almost complex d-structure on $Osc^k M$: $f^2 = -\delta$. If we put:

$$(10) \quad a_{ij} = f_i^r g_{rj},$$

then $a_{ij}(x, y^{(1)}, \dots, y^{(k)})$ is alternating and $G_{ij} = g_{ij} + a_{ij}$ is an asymmetric metric on $Osc^k M$. In this case $\mu = -1$.

2. Let $q_j^i(x, y^{(1)}, \dots, y^{(k)})$ be a tensor field of type (1,1) which gives an almost product d-structure on $Osc^k M$: $q^2 = +\delta$. If we put:

$$(11) \quad a_{ij} = q_i^r g_{rj}$$

then $a_{ij}(x, y^{(1)}, \dots, y^{(k)})$ is alternate and $G_{ij} = g_{ij} + a_{ij}$ is an asymmetric metric on $Osc^k M$. In this case $\mu = +1$.

Theorem 2. *If there exist a N -linear connection on $Osc^k M$ compatible with a natural asymmetric metric $G_{ij}(x, y^{(1)}, \dots, y^{(k)})$, then the function μ is constant.*

Definition 2. *A natural asymmetric metric (1) is called elliptic if $\mu = -c^2$ and hyperbolic if $\mu = c^2$, where c is a positive constant.*

The converse of Theorem 2 holds as follows:

Theorem 3. *If a natural asymmetric metric (1) is elliptic or hyperbolic, then there*

exist N -linear connections $D\tilde{\Gamma}(N) = (\tilde{L}^i_{jk}, \tilde{C}^i_{jk})$ compatible with $G_{ij}(x, y^{(1)}, \dots, y^{(k)})$.

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Let $D\overset{\circ}{\Gamma}(N) = (\overset{\circ}{L}^i_{jk}, \overset{\circ}{C}^i_{jk})$ be a given N -linear connection, then in the elliptic case

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we have

$$(12) \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \tilde{L}^i_{jk} = \overset{\circ}{L}^i_{jk} + \frac{1}{4} \{ g^{ir} g_{rj|k} + a^{ir} a_{rj|k} + f_j^r f_r^i \} \\ \tilde{C}^i_{jk} = \overset{\circ}{C}^i_{jk} + \frac{1}{4} \{ g^{ir} g_{rj} \Big|_k + a^{ir} a_{rj} \Big|_k + f_j^r f_r^i \Big|_k \} \end{array} \right.$$

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(α = 1, ..., k), and in the hyperbolic case we have

$$(13) \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \tilde{L}^i_{jk} = \overset{\circ}{L}^i_{jk} + \frac{1}{4} \{ g^{ir} g_{rj|k} + a^{ir} a_{rj|k} - q_j^r q_r^i \} \\ \tilde{C}^i_{jk} = \overset{\circ}{C}^i_{jk} + \frac{1}{4} \{ g^{ir} g_{rj} \Big|_k + a^{ir} a_{rj} \Big|_k - q_j^r q_r^i \Big|_k \} \end{array} \right.$$

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(α = 1, ..., k)

and in the hyperbolic case by

$$(17) \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} L^i_{jk} = L^c_{jk} + \frac{1}{4} \{ a^{ir} a_{rj|k} - q^r_j q^i_{r|k} \} \\ C^i_{jk} = C^c_{jk} + \frac{1}{4} \{ a^{ir} a_{rj|k}^{(\alpha)} - q^r_j q^i_{r|k}^{(\alpha)} \}, \quad (\alpha = 1, \dots, k) \\ (\alpha) \qquad (\alpha) \end{array} \right.$$

Now, the Einstein equations, electromagnetic tensors, Maxwell equations for the higher order Einstein-Schrödinger geometry can be studied using these canonical N-linear connections.

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